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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a One-Month Extension of Time to respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on July 13, 2005, extending the time for reply from October 13, 2005 to November 13, 2005.

Our check in the amount of \$120.00 (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2)) is enclosed to cover the (Large Entity) One-Month Extension of Time fee. Please charge any further deficiencies in payment and credit any overpayment to **Attorney's Deposit Account No. 23-1951**.

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